

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, lines 8 – 11: Kindly substitute the following paragraph:

-- This application is a division of commonly-owned U.S. Application Serial No. 09/397,331, now US Patent No. 6298446, attorney docket number ~~21939-04692~~ 43426.00049, filed on September 14, 1999, entitled "Method and System for Copyright Protection of Digital Images Transmitted Over Networks." --

Page 3, line 15: Kindly change "a SIF" to -- SIF --.

Page 4, line 10: Kindly change "copying" to -- being copied --.

Page 12, line 15: Kindly change "references," to -- references --.

Page 14, line 7: Kindly change "is" to -- his --.

Page 15, line 13: Kindly change "Tool Box" to -- Toolbox --.

Page 15, line 18: Kindly change "administrator," to -- administrator --.

Page 25, line 23: Kindly change the second occurrence of "status" to -- manager --.

Page 27, line 14: Kindly change "reference" to -- references --.

Page 35, line 25: Kindly change "save" to -- saves --.

Page 37, line 2: Kindly change "104" to -- 904 --.

Page 42, line 4: Kindly delete the second occurrence of "listed".

Page 43, line 10: Kindly change "references" to -- referenced --.

Page 43, line 18: Kindly change "the "Submit button" are" to -- the "Submit" button are --.

Page 43, line <sup>19</sup>~~18~~: Kindly change "the "Submit "button, then" to -- the "Submit" button, then --.

Page 44, line 14: Kindly change "d:/netpub/wwwroot" to -- d:/Inetpub/wwwroot --.

Page 45, lines 13 and 14: Kindly change "to watermarking" to -- for watermarking --.

Page 46, line 9: Kindly change "d:/netpub/wwwroot" to -- d:/Inetpub/wwwroot --.

Page 49, line 18: Kindly change "lost" to -- lose --.

Page 57, line 3: Kindly change "()<sup>19</sup>preferably" to -- () preferably -

Page 59, line 18: Kindly change "tried" to -- tries --.